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I, Bruce P. Bickner, Chairman and CEO, certify that DEKALB GENETICS CORPORATION, is the assignee of the entire interest in each of the below-referenced U.S. patent applications. Documentary evidence of chain of title from the original owner to DEKALB GENETICS CORPORATION, has been filed with and recorded by the United States Patent and Trademark Office at each of the below-referenced Reel and Frame numbers.

The evidentiary documents referred to in the instant Revocation and Power of Attorney have been reviewed by the undersigned; and it is certified that, to the best of the knowledge and belief of DEKALB GENETICS CORPORATION, title is in DEKALB GENETICS CORPORATION.

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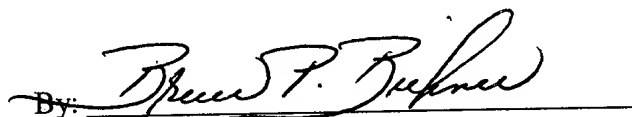
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